

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Flying Carpet

Norway Upholds

Viking Tradition

Today a huge jet-propelled bomber crossed the United States in 3 hours, 46 minutes.

The Boeing Stratofort averaged the incredible speed of over miles an hour — a mark attained previously in short dashes, but when sustained for the entire width of a continent simply means that a new and mighty force has been introduced into the already dazzling picture of 20th Century transport.

To cross America between meals is as common now as the mythical flying carpet of the Arabian Nights has been turned into reality.

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List of Fines Scouts Plan to Assess

Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts will meet at Hope City Hall at 12:45 Friday for final instructions. The group will parade through the streets of Hope, after which they will take over the city government. Officers are as follows:

Mayor—Arch Moore Ellington. Chief of Police—Bobby Martin. Ass't. Chief—Charles Cross. Treasurers—Nolen Stanford.

Donald Basley, Jimmy Maxwell. Judge—Jimmy Yocom.

To check licenses and parking time:

William Camp, Herbert Griffin, Jerry O'Neal, Benjie Owen, Jerry Jones, and Jack Jones.

All others will be policemen.

Fines to be collected are as follows:

Jay Walking—10c.

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Double Parking—25c.

Failing to stop at stop sign—25c.

Blocking Alley—25c.

More than 3 riding in front seat—25c.

Overtime Parking—25c.

Failure to display proper state and city licenses—25c (City license applies to residents of Hope only).

Denounces Treatment of Cardinal

Washington, Feb. 10—(P)—President Truman today denounced Hungary's treatment of Josef Cardinal Mindszenty as "infamous."

He demanded the treason trial of the cardinal as a kangaroo court proceeding which will go down in history as a blot against the nation which carried it on.

Mr. Truman went on to say that the matter of whether it was in violation of Hungary's treaties is being investigated and a report is to be made to him on that point.

The president discussed the trial at his news conference and gave reporters permission to quote directly his use of the word "infamous."

A reporter asked whether a break in relations with Hungary is under study. The president made it clear he didn't say that.

What is under investigation he said is whether Hungary's action was contrary to its obligations in treaties with other governments.

American officials see the whole affair as one which will bring a new clash between Russia and the Western powers.

GOP Chiefs Borrowing From FDR

By LYLE C. WILSON

Washington, Feb. 10—(UP)—Republican leaders are borrowing heavily today from the late Franklin D. Roosevelt's bill of political goods.

Recent speeches by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and Sen. Robert A. Taft show how far Republican thinking has moved to the left since the Hoover administration.

Taft told an Ohio audience some nights ago that he was for:

1. Increased minimum wages.

2. Spending federal money to help the states assure medical care to all unable to pay for it.

3. Spending federal money to help local governments assure decent housing for those unable to provide for themselves.

4. Spending federal money to assure primary and secondary school for all children.

5. Expanding federal money to assure protection to all persons not now covered.

Dewey spoke here this week. He is for:

1. Employment insurance and increased old age assistance.

2. Broader social security in gen-

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Reveals Red Spy Ring Operated in Japan

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

Washington, Feb. 10—(P)—The army warned today that remnants of a fabulous Russian spy ring that operated in Japan with perhaps the greatest daring and success in history may be at work in world capitals "at this very moment."

There is that fleeting hint at a present-day menace in the story of an espionage network so bold it slipped from the Japanese cabinet and German embassy in Tokyo.

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List of Judges and Clerks to Officiate in General Election for Road Bond Issue

Truman Still Favors Tax Increase

Washington, Feb. 10—(P)—President Truman said today he is still

as strong as ever for a \$4,000,000 tax increase and for wage and price controls.

The president's call for more money was made at his news conference just after Secretary of the Treasury Snyder had told Congress it is "essential" that the increase be granted "as soon as possible."

At the White House the questioning of taxes revolved around a reporter's query whether the president is hopeful of getting the tax increase in view of recent developments in the commodity markets and on Capitol Hill.

The president said yes, he is.

Then he added he is just as strong for the tax increase now as when he first called for it.

Then, asked whether a further downward trend in the market might lead him to alter his opinion, he said it would not.

It would be just as advisable to raise taxes in that case, he said, because further economic development would not affect the expenses of the government and he is trying to avoid a deficit.

Two Die for Murder of Gandhi

By MARC PURDUE

New Delhi, Feb. 10—(P)—Narayan Godse and Narayan Apte, editor and publisher of a small Poonia newspaper, today were sentenced to die on the gallows for the assassination of Mohandas K. Gandhi.

That assurance was the prime target of the spy ring. And it got just two days before the Japanese smashed the network in 1941, just before Pearl Harbor.

Strangely, a man who is one of the top Communists in Japan to day unwittingly betrayed the ring. Sorge and Ozaki were hanged.

The report says they were spies in China before shifting to Tokyo. It says Miss Smedley brought them together in Shanghai in 1930.

It says she was a spy and agent of the Soviet government.

In New York, Miss Smedley said it was "a despicable lie." She said, "I am not and never have been a Soviet spy or an agent for any country."

She said she would sue General MacArthur if she could find legal grounds for doing so.

Her attorney made a retraction and apology in a letter to Secretary of the Army Royall.

While there are no details to build up a spy case now in Washington or other capitals, the MacArthur report says right at the end:

The defendants came into the crowded court room laughing and joking. When he first entered the room after the sentences were pronounced they began shouting, with Godse's voice sounding above the others: "We will conquer Pakistan. Long live Hindustan." Then they broke into loud laughter.

Sentenced to life imprisonment were:

Vishnu Karkare, hotel keeper at Ahmednagar.

Madam Lal, punjab refugee who admitted setting off a bomb at Gandhi's prayer meeting 10 days before the assassination.

Dattraya Parchure.

Gopal Godse, brother of the chief defendant.

Kastayya Shankar, a servant.

The judge recommended, however, that Shankar's sentence be commuted to seven years hard labor.

Sarkar was taken into custody under orders of the local Delhi magistrate immediately after he was released on his acquittal. He was detained within red fort under the punjab public safety act.

Dr. Parchure immediately filed an appeal. The judge ruled he had procured the pistol that killed Gandhi.

Gode, who was seized on the prayer grounds of Birla Mansion at the moment of the assassination, was found guilty of five subsidiary charges besides the actual killing of Gandhi. The judge sentenced him to a total of 19 years imprisonment on those charges.

Apte also was sentenced to 19 years imprisonment on subsidiary charges. Besides his life sentence, Lal was given 25 years for abetting murder.

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Klan Pledges Resistance to Racial Issues

Denmark, S. C., Feb. 10. — (UP) — The Ku Klux Klan was pledged today to its "last drop of blood" to resist efforts to force racial equality in the south.

Dr. Samuel Green, grand dragon of the Klan, made the pledge to some 250 local members of the organization and a rain-drenched crowd here last night. The Klans-

Weather Continues Plague Work in Snow-Bound West

By the United Press
Parts of the west were shipped today by "quicksilver" windstorms and snow squalls that pushed new

piles of snow over roads as fast as bulldozers cleared them.

A new major storm area was spawned in the Aleutians and was moving southeastward toward the continental coastline to unleash its fury.

Nightlong rains melted snow-drifts in eastern Washington, creating flood conditions. Water poured into Dayton, Wash., and crept over Wapato Wala sidewalks. Residents of the two towns turned out to erect sandbag barricades. Highways became muddy, swirling streams.

But eastern states enjoyed mild, springlike weather that sent temperatures soaring yesterday to 50 at New York and 68 at Washington to set new records for Feb. 9, low in the city, the 1st major

Perishable foods were running low in the city, the last major community still snowbound as result of storms that struck earlier this week. The Challenger airlines said that if weather permitted it would begin a shuttle service for 650 westbound railroad passengers stranded here.

"The man who says a Negro is the equal of a white man is not no good to a Negro himself," he shouted. "You can't tell me that an ignorant African slave who came here 150 years ago has gained the culture, refinement and education that the white man has acquired in these 5,000 years."

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No Piker



A pretty girl gets a terrific bang taking a dandy eight-pound pike from under the ice on a lake hard by Minneapolis. Crappies are caught, too, during the winter season.

Starlet Starts Sentence — Minus Glamor

Hollywood, Feb. 10. — (UP) — Ex-starlet Lila Leeds, her curves camouflaged under a sack-like prison dress and her shapely legs swathed in white cotton stockings, announced today she's going to spend her 60-day jail sentence scribbling a book on the ups and downs of her grab for fame.

"I've walked a long way," she said, "starting from nothing in a group of a home in Kansas."

The 22-year-old blond beauty who hopes of making Hollywood headlines—but not on a marijuana conviction—will act. Actor Robert Mitchum—is only one of thousands of pretty girls who cling to the fringes of movie glory.

She came here three years ago from Dodge City, Kan., to be a model but settled for a job slinging hats. Then she worked up a dance routine for a USO show and finally crashed the modeling business.

"That got me a \$100-a-week contract at MGM," she said. "Later Waynes hired me at \$250 a week and started grooming me for stardom. I knew I wasn't ready for it. Six months later they let me go."

Then followed the inevitable party-going Hollywood beauties go in for hoping it will lead to something. Lila was usually on the arm of Stephen Crane, once married to another girl who's almost a double for Lila. Her name is Lana Turner.

Any writing Lila does will be after she scrubs up her cell, makes her bunk, and polishes the bars, the matron of the women's section said. And she'll have to write with pencil and paper.

Lila said she started puffing "reefers" about a year ago when the film factories began unloading their crop of cuties and her clutch on eventual stardom began to loosen.

"I was coming home from a drinking party and jam session," she explained, "when one of the girls started telling me how she got high on 'tea.' She asked me if I'd like to try some."

"It was there," so I did. But I only got dizzy."

Later at another party someone asked her: "Are you with it?"

"I tried it again and felt just as if I'd been drinking. I wanted to be alone and think. The question of legality didn't enter my head. I felt very relaxed and relieved of all my woes."

GOP Chiefs

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cal.

3. Slum clearance and public housing.

4. Public development of water power resources.

5. Farm price supports.

The measures supported by Dewey and Taft were lifted from the various New Deal programs of the late FDR. Not all Republicans would go along with all of them. But in general the party is committed to such projects not only by preference of individuals but by the Republican platforms of recent years, especially 1948.

But wherever spending and taxes figure in these projects, which is just about everywhere, the republicans are vigorously demanding that President Truman go slow to stop altogether. They argue that he is attempting to expand FDR's New Deal to new and too expensive grounds where the individual puppet of an all-powerful central government would become increasingly the government in Washington. And along the same lines the Republi-

can and otherwise, unless an emergency such as war or financial panic should make that necessary.

Taft, Dewey and many others warn that Mr. Truman's efforts to put nearly everybody on the receiving end of tax-paid government benefits is a dangerous move toward a totalitarian government as well as a bid for votes. As a party, the Republicans oppose the Democrats' medical insurance plan which will be a multi-billion dollar operation.

Republicans and southern Democrats have proved they are for less taxation. President Truman and the northern Democrats are for more taxation. There is a similar split on labor legislation, but with variations peculiar to that hotly explosive issue. For instance,

New Arrivals Daily in Smart New SPRING CLOTHES

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Social Calendar

Thursday, February 10th

Three one act plays will be presented at the Hope High School auditorium, Thursday night, February 10th at 7:30 p.m. Two of the plays scheduled for Thursday night were written by Martin Pool, Jr. and Charlie Wilson, local Thespians. Special numbers will be presented between acts.

Admission of 10¢ for grade school students, 15¢ for Junior and Senior High School students, 25¢ for Adults will be charged for Thursday night's program and the proceeds will be used to build a new stage scenery.

Invitations have been issued by Mrs. Miles Laha, Mrs. Rob Jones, Mrs. Aubrey Albritton and Mrs. Owen Nix, for a coffee in honor of Miss Roxie Jane Sutton, bride-elect of Ray Lawrence, to be given Thursday, February 10th from 3 to 5:30 in the Nix home, 512 South Bonner Street.

The Prudence Rifley Circle of the First Baptist church will meet in the home of Mrs. James McCullough, 718 West 6th Street, on Thursday, February 10th, at 7 p.m. Mrs. Walter Miller will be co-host.

The Business and Professional Womens Club will meet Thursday night at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Barlow with Miss Elsie Gentry, Mrs.

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Paul and Jane Ann are both cerebral palsy patients at the Illinois Children's Hospital in Chicago. But that doesn't stop them from enjoying St. Valentine's Day. Paul is all set to give a handmade card to the woman of his choice.

DOROTHY DIX

Second Trial

Dear Miss Dix: What is your opinion about the separation of husband and wife? My husband left me and now he wants to come back to the children and me and for us to forget all that has happened and to start from the beginning. Do you think a mother alone can make a success in rearing her children? Do you think that if a couple still care for each other they can blot out the past and make their children a better home and give them a better start in life than the mother could do alone?

What is necessary to make a success of marriage that once has failed?

A HOPEFUL WIFE AND MOTHER

Answer: It takes love, and lots of it, to make a go of any marriage, all malarkey to the contrary, no marriage ever came up to the expectations of the high contracting parties. No bride ever turned out to be the pin-feathered angel her bridegroom thought he was getting. No husband was ever the great lover of a girl's dreams.

They all had selfishness and egotism and whims and other unpleasant peculiarities, and it is the husband and wife did not have enough love to offset their mate's faults.

But I have several boy friends but the ones I like ignore me or insult me.

I am very hurt by this and I hope you have a remedy for my problem.

Time To Cool Off

They separate, and that gives them time to cool off and think the situation over and come to their senses. The husband discovers that with all her faults he loves Mary Jane still, and Mary Jane soaks her pillow with tears because life is dust and ashes to her without her Tom, and both of them are conscience-stricken when the look at their little children and think how they have betrayed them.

So I think that the husbands and wives who have parted in anger are very wise when they kiss and make up and give marriage a second trial. They have had a hard lesson that has left them wiser, more tolerant, more forgiving, more appreciative of each other's good qualities.

My earnest advice to all separated couples is to give marriage another trial before they throw it into the discard.

(Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

Dear Dorothy Dix: My boy friend has asked me to wait six years before we get married. He gives no specific reason for this, but tells everyone he loves me and will marry me.

The groom's mother, Mrs. Copeland, was dressed in black gabardine with black accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

The two immediate families were present and out of town relatives were Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross Copeland, Mary Louise Ross, Robert Copeland of Hope, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Honea and sons, Ross and John of Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Haywood Scott of Benton, and Mrs. P. J. Fite of Sparkman, grandmother of the bride.

After a wedding trip to Northern Arkansas and Tennessee, the couple will be at home on Caddo Street in Arkadelphia.

Thompson-Shackelford Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. William McKinley Thompson of Eminence announces the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Payne Ann, to James Paul Shackelford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shackelford of Prescott.

The wedding will take place in March.

Iris Garden Club Meets Tuesday

The Hope Iris Garden Club met Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Leo Robins with Mrs. F. N. Porter and Mrs. A. A. Halbert, co-hostesses.

The president, Mrs. Paul Raley, presided over the business session and each member answered the roll call by naming a different flowering shrub. A report was given by Mrs. C. P. Tolleson of the City Federation Meeting.

Each member was given four tickets to sell for the Book Review "Dinner at Antoine's" to be given by Mrs. R. E. Jackson, at the First Methodist church, Friday, February 25th at 2:30.

Mrs. Cline Franks, program chairman, presented an interesting program on "Flowering Shrubs" and introduced Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, who gave an article on "Camellias" and Mrs. Halbert listed different kinds of flowering shrubs.

BRANCH HOSPITAL

Admitted: Master James Willis—Hope. Mrs. W. W. Wright—Rt. 1, Hope.

Discharged: Mr. S. A. Laster—Rt. 1, Hope.

Mrs. H. F. Mitchell—Lewisville.

Mrs. John Martin—Hope.

Master Doyle Huckabee—Rt. 1, Hope.

JOSEPHINE HOSPITAL

Admitted: Mrs. Jack Reynolds—Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reynolds announce the arrival of a son.

Discharged: Miss Betty Fay—Washington.

Mrs. W. C. Alderson, Lewisville.

Mrs. Ury McKenzie—Hope.

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Trade Law Repealed by House

Washington, Feb. 9 (AP) — The administration won a smashing victory today as the house voted 10 to 69 to repeal the 1948 Republican tariff act and to reinstate the original reciprocal trade law until June 12, 1951.

President Truman, in requesting the action said, "The GOP's hobbled trade pact negotiations. He said its repeal is needed to promote commerce and aid world peace."

On final passage 238 Democrats were joined by 30 Republicans and one American labor party member. Opposing were 63 Republicans and six Dem.ocrats.

The legislation now goes to the Senate.

Democrats beat back 241 to 151 a Republican attempt to save at least a part of the 1948 measure. The old reciprocal trade law, which will be restored in its essential form by the house action, gives the president the power to cut American tariffs 50 per cent below January 1, 1948 levels in trade pacts with nations that agree to reduce their trade barriers.

The Republicans, when they were in power last year, revised this law: (a) to set up independent studies by the tariff commission and (b) require the president to explain to congress if he cut any import duty against the commission's advice that such a cut would damage an American industry.

American Renounces Citizenship

Vienna, Austria, Feb. 9 (AP) — A young American war veteran has renounced his American citizenship to stay in Austria and marry his Viennese sweetheart.

He is Harold W. J. Branda of Chicago now serving a 90-day sentence in the Salzburg army stockade following his conviction in a military government court on charges of cigarette smuggling.

At the completion of his sentence March 27 he was scheduled to be returned to the United States. Yesterday in a five-minute ceremony at the office of the American vice-consul in Salzburg he renounced his citizenship.

The name of his Vienna girl friend is not known to authorities.

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Owner Dewey Bargiagchi, left, of an Oakland, Calif., restaurant, makes it perfectly plain how he feels about the picketing of Harry P. Jensen, right. Jensen, president of the Restaurant Owners' Association, started parading when Bargiagchi signed a union contract.

Prescott News

Thursday, February 10.

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Hearings on Labor Law Delayed

Washington, Feb. 9 (AP) — President Truman's bill to repeal the Taft-Hartley act ran into a slowdown today when the Senate Labor Committee extended its hearings until Feb. 23.

This is 13 days beyond the deadline set for tomorrow night. It is a nine-day extension, in terms of actual hearing days.

The committee made its decision at an uproarious three-hour session in which the word "insult" flew around. The final vote was unanimous but that didn't mean everybody was happy.

The extension apparently means a delay in getting the bill to the Senate for debate.

What its long-range effect will be is hard to estimate.

There is sure to be a long and fierce debate, regardless, on the Republicans' forthcoming efforts to restore provisions of the Taft-Hartley act, piece by piece.

The committee trestled out the time-extension issue in a locked room at the Capitol.

The most intense bitterness of the meeting was between Senator Morse (D-Mass.) and Senator Pepper (D-Calif.).

Those present said afterward that Pepper once exclaimed, in highly colorful language, that the trouble with Morse was that the Oregon senator wouldn't agree to anything he didn't write.

Morse said that was an insult, and if Pepper wanted to engage in an exchange of insults, he would accommodate him. Then other senators broke in.

The extended hearing deal finally reached includes, in addition to the nine additional hearing days:

1. An agreement that the time will be equally divided between Democrats and Republicans.

2. No more night sessions after tomorrow night, except on days

Medical Tests Prove Grand Relief For Tired, Letdown Feeling

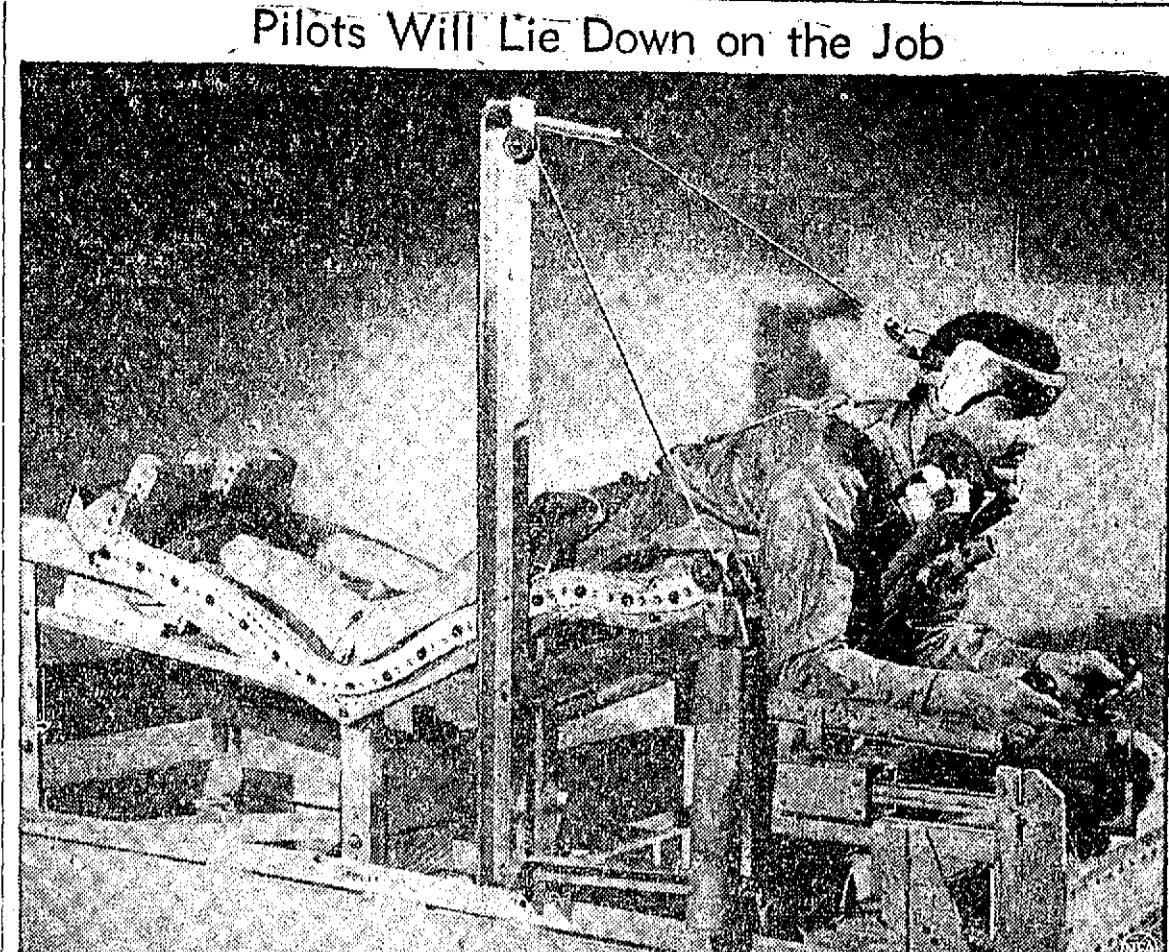
Yes, this is good news for suffering folks who want to regain energy. Better days will be yours. So why wait when there is no need to continually feel miserable when the Oregon senator wouldn't agree to anything he didn't write.

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Pilots Will Lie Down on the Job

When the Air Force pilot of the near future says "Well, I've got to go and stretch out on the couch," he'll mean he's going to work and is about to take a nap up. The "couch" is the bed pictured above, which may soon replace the conventional seat in the cockpit. Tests at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio, indicate that operating controls from this prone position is easier on pilots than the old sitting posture. Flying fatigue is said to be lessened and danger of blackouts reduced.

Appropriation Measure Is Now a Law

Little Rock, Feb. 8 (AP) — Governor McMath has signed into law the \$1,546,380 general appropriation.

Out of this appropriation will be paid salaries and operation costs of the state's constitutional officers during the next two fiscal years.

McMath also signed the measure which provides \$80,000 to pay costs of the special election a week from today on his highway bond program.

When the Senate is in session during the afternoon and the committee fails to get unanimous consent to meet while the senate is doing business.

There will be no hearings this coming Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Meantime the United States Chamber of Commerce, without waiting any longer to be called, prepared for testimony, made public a statement prepared for the committee.

In the Chamber of Commerce statement, vice-president Herman W. Stuckmeyer asked congress to keep the Taft-Hartley ban on the closed shop.

He asked that the federal mediation and conciliation service be left independent, as under the Taft-Hartley act.

Take Only The Best

Union of North and South Ireland Would End a Quarrel of Long Standing

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

It was back about 1930 that I stood in the private office of Prime Minister Lord Craigavon of Northern Ireland (Ulster) and heard him issue this defiance to the "Irish Free State" (now Eire):

"Union with Southern Ireland? Never! Never. Never. And when I am gone, there will be other leaders of the same mind to carry on."

Craigavon, a tall, thin man, who towered well above six feet, was leaning against the marble mantel over the fireplace as we talked about the bitter and often bloody strife between the two sections of the Emerald Isle. He became so wrought up as he bellowed "Never!" that he repeatedly slammed a fist as big as a hand into the palm of his other hand, by the way of emphasis.

That "Never! Never! Never!" comes echoing down to me today. For Northern Ireland is holding a general election in which the great issue is the question of whether she should unite with Eire or remain independent, as under the T-H law.

main a part of the United Kingdom under the king.

Lord Craigavon is dead, but he predicted truly when he said other leaders would carry on the policy of separation. It would be an astonishing thing if "Ulster" voted "at last" to join fortunes with her sister state to the south. This is particularly true in view of Eire's recent action in severing the last tie which bound her to England.

Eire, of course, long has been eager for a merger. As a matter of fact former Prime Minister Eamonn de Valera of Eire recently toured England in support of a united Ireland. Moreover, the leaders of all political parties in Eire sponsored the raising of money to help Northern Irish candidates favoring union. Naturally that hasn't improved the temper of Northern Ireland folks who oppose union.

The fight between Northern and Southern Ireland runs back to the 17th century, to Lorraine Blackwood, home demonstration agent.

Religious, racial and economic unhappiness is a potent factor in the minds of many. A majority of the populace of Northern Ireland is protestants and most of the folks of Eire are Catholics.

However, the economic issue also looms large. Ulster long has been one of the richest parts of the Emerald Isle because of its success in agriculture, linen manufacture and shipbuilding. Many Ulsterites feel that union with the South would mean they would have to carry excessive taxation, since numerous parts of Eire are not so prosperous.

Then, of course, the six countries of Ulster were settled largely by Scots and English. Folks of Eire who trace their lineage back to the days of Irish kings don't look upon these later arrivals as "belonging" to the land of the shamrock.

You have to travel in Ireland to fully appreciate just how bitter the feelings are between many of the people of Ulster and Eire. For many years I fished for trout and salmon in Ireland, one of my favorite spots was Loch Melvin, right on the Ulster-Eire border near the west coast.

The situation there was rather typical. Not infrequently there would be raids from one side to the other. Cottages sometimes were burned, or boats destroyed. The constabulary always was on the alert along the frontier.

Prime Minister Sir Basil Brooke of Northern Ireland recently summed the position up from his viewpoint as his state approached its historic election. He said she was in danger because of Eire's decision to cut its last constitutional ties with Britain. He added:

"We have now on our southern border a foreign nation. It has always been their policy by one means or another to dominate our territory and to force us out of the United Kingdom."

"Today we fight to defend our very existence and the heritage of our Ulster children."

Every Time Saving Device Is Valuable

Every device, however small that saves time and labor in getting meals and does the job better is worth the consideration of the busy housewife. Lorraine Blackwood, home demonstration agent believes: Small savings add up in homemaking as in industry.

For example, sifting flour into a sheet of waxed paper instead of into a bowl has several advantages in making cakes and other mixtures calling for flour. Use about a foot square of waxed paper for fast, easy and neat sifting. Then, because flour slips off the waxed surface so readily, it is easy to lift the paper and slide the flour back for another sifting or into the mixing bowl. Finally, the paper saves washing an extra bowl.

Mixing salad dressing in the salad bowl before adding the salad is another small way to save an extra dish — and time.

Stashing in a paper bag is an easy and economical way of flouring or sugarizing pieces of food. Use it for "dusting" doughnuts or fruit con-

Farmer Seeks to Be Saved From Ducks

By MORRIS CLEAVENGER
Washington, Feb. 10 (AP) — A baffled Montana farmer lifted a desperate cry today for the government to save him from the ducks.

Nearly beaten in the game of matching his wits against the appetites of 5,000 wildfowl, Ervin Weinheimer of Eustis wrote Senator Ecton (R-Mont.) asking for a "fair chance and an equal opportunity for the farmer."

"It just doesn't seem to me that it is the 'American way' for the government to protect the ducks and in turn not to protect the farmer from them," he said. Maybe the government should feed the ducks, he suggested.

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So far, cocks and hens of the strain have lived a strictly collegiate life, turning out meat or eggs just for old Alma Mater.

But come Jan. 1 hatching eggs will be made available to Alabama poultry raisers, and by the end of the year, poultry men throughout the nation will have a chance to see what the Auburn Leghorns can do away from their home grounds.

Super Bird to Be Made Available

By FRANK CAREY
AP Science Reporter

Auburn, Ala. — Poultry scientists at Alabama Polytechnic Institute are going to make their "super bird" available to the nation during the coming year.

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Right now, Polylech's birds are being stacked against New York, Minnesota, California and Florida tests on the Auburn grounds — but the boxscore won't be available for some time.

Birds from Auburn also have been shipped to experimenters in some of those states for testing under climate and other conditions prevailing there.

Preliminary evidence is that a Leghorn strain of a particular state does best in its own back yard, but Dr. D. F. King, poultry husbandman at Polytechnic's Agricultural Experiment Station, contends that Auburn's birds will make a name for themselves "on the road."

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Aviators have reported seeing circling about planes which were flying at speeds up to 85 miles per hour.

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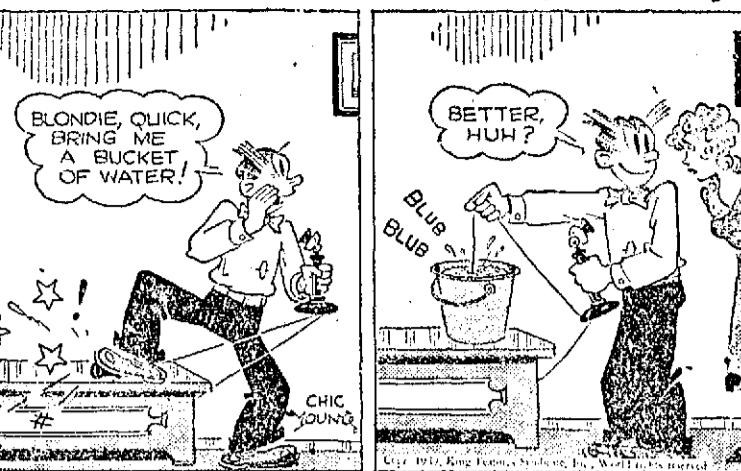
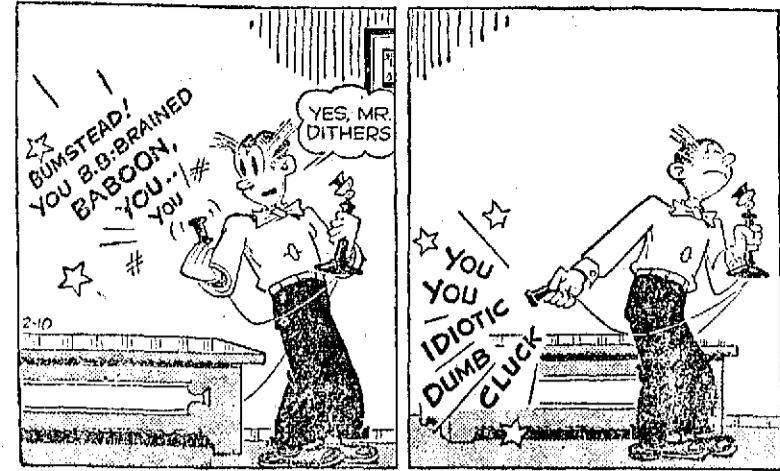
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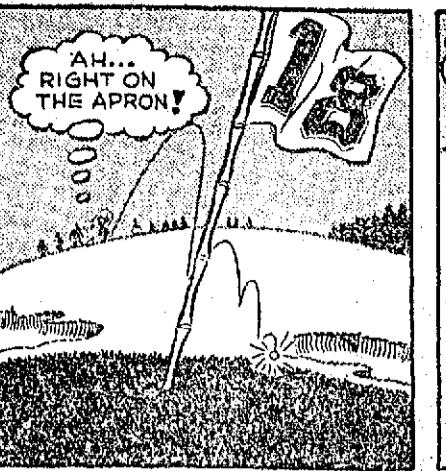
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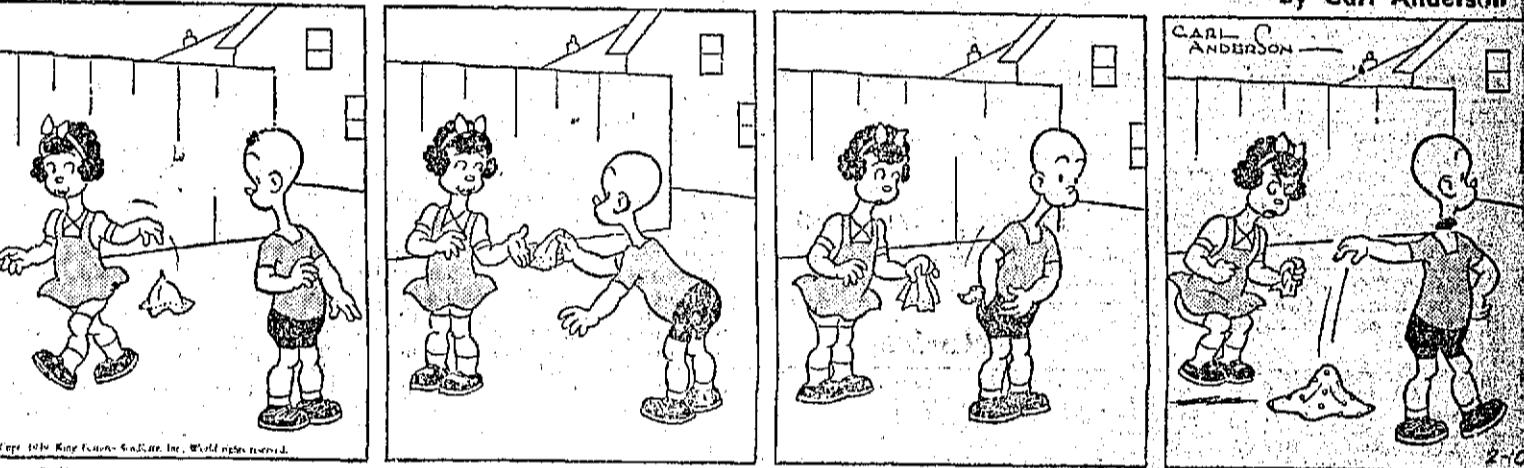
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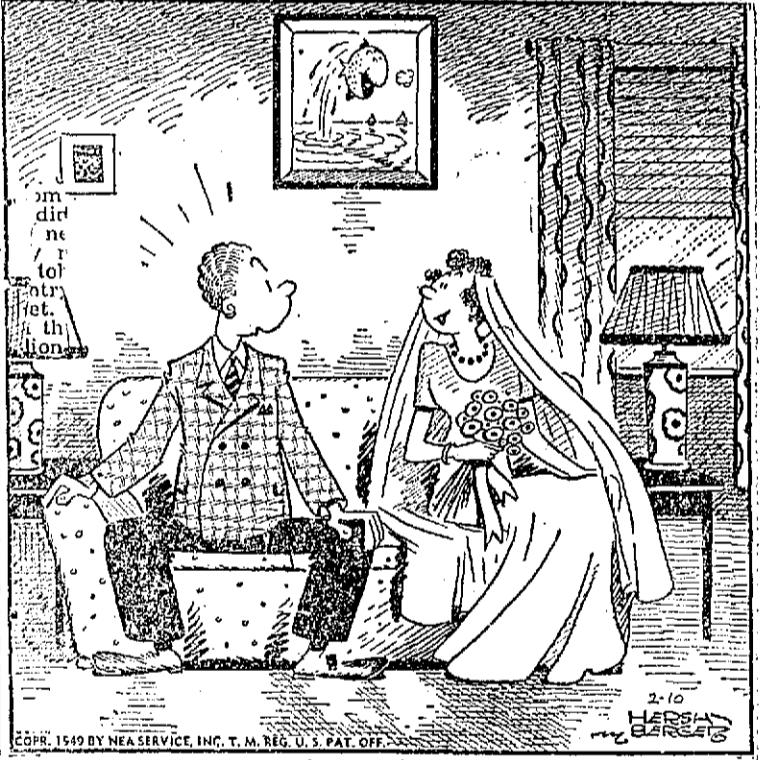
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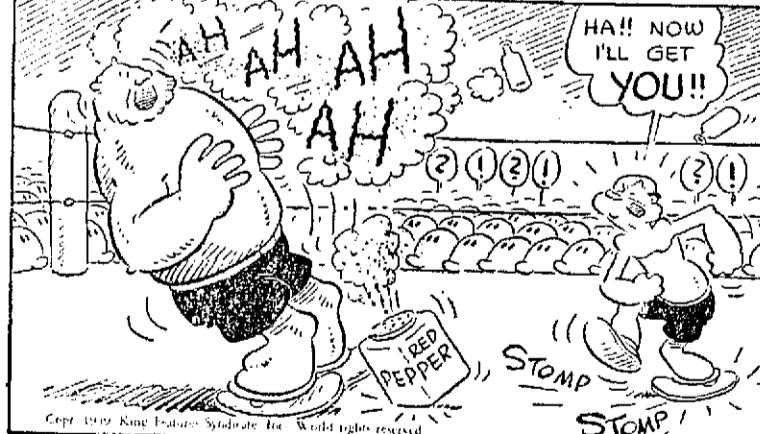
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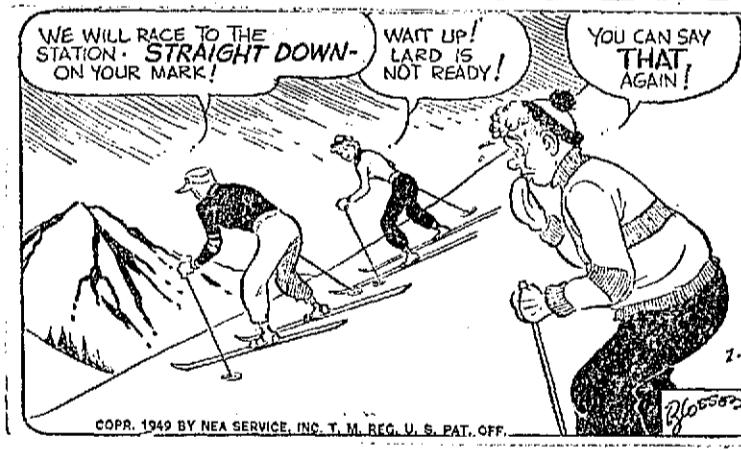
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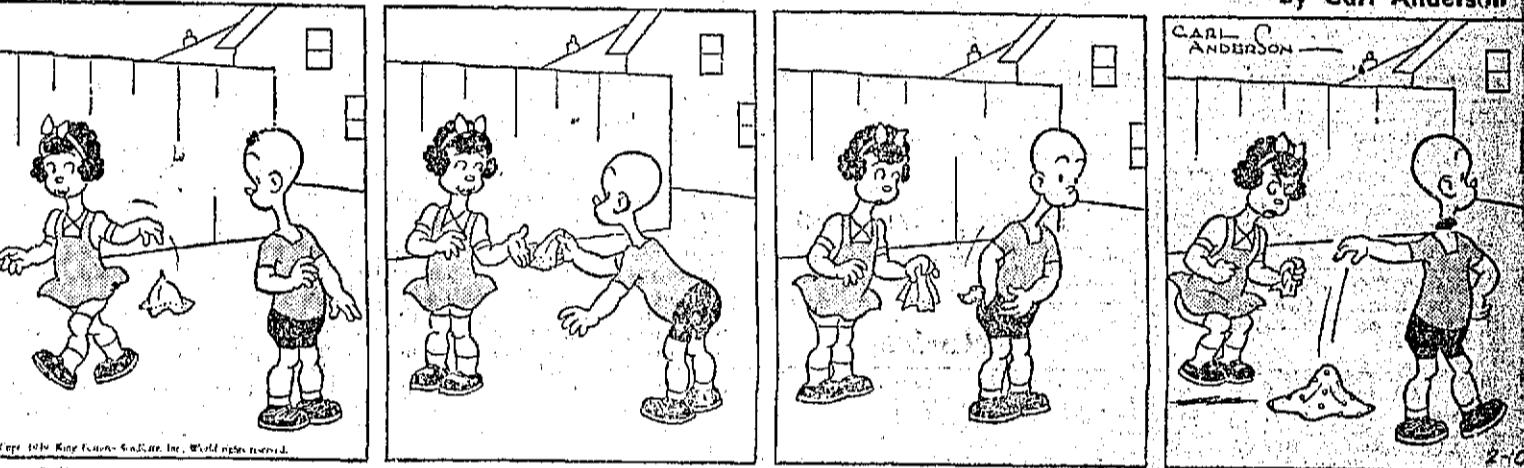
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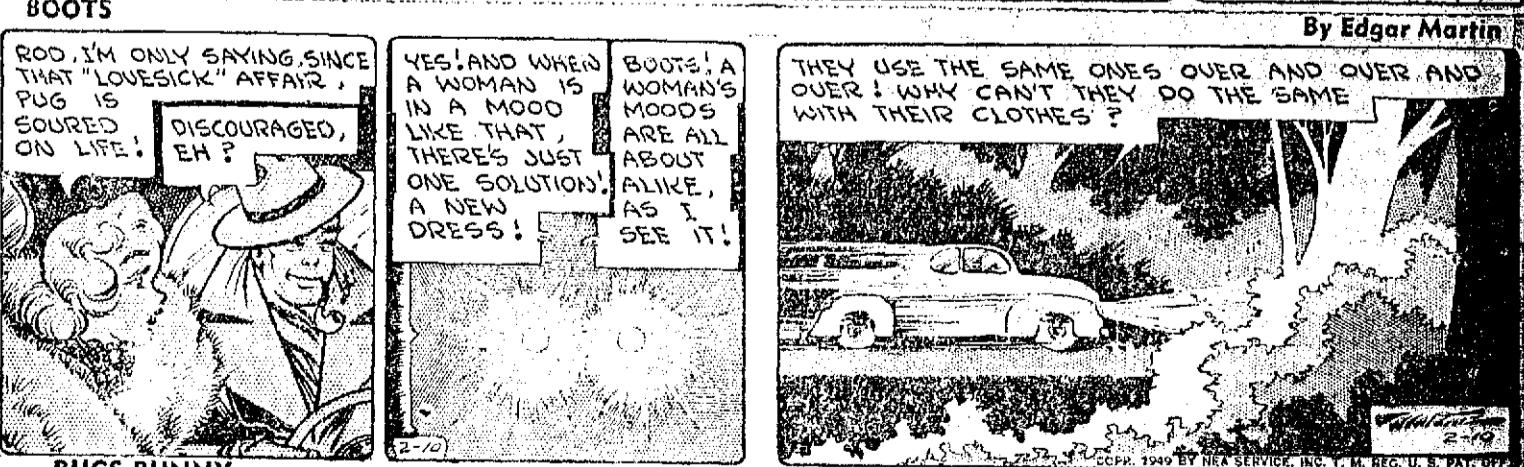
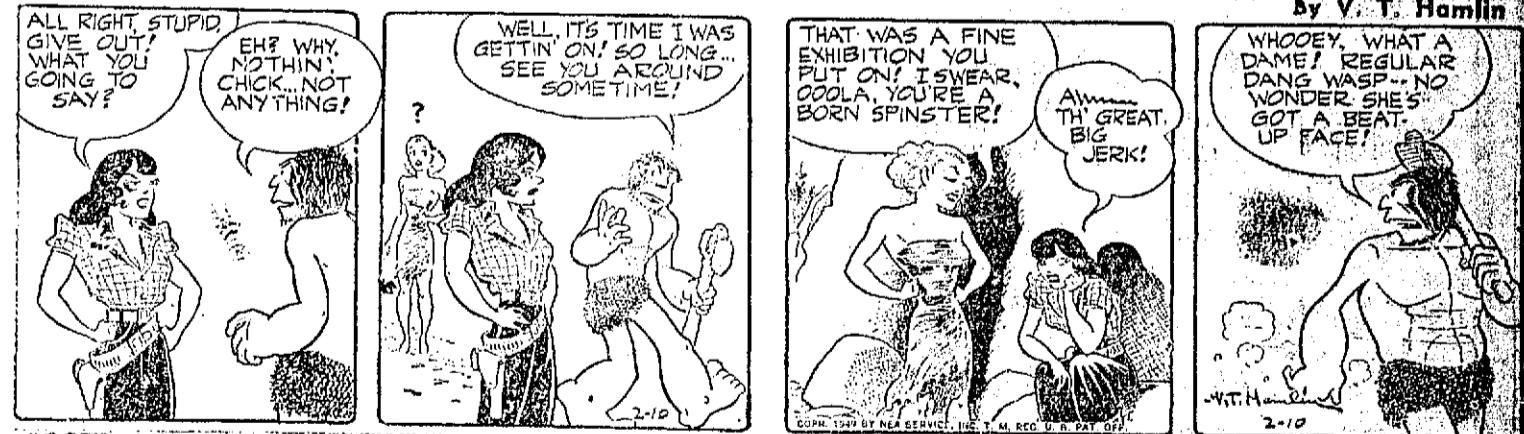
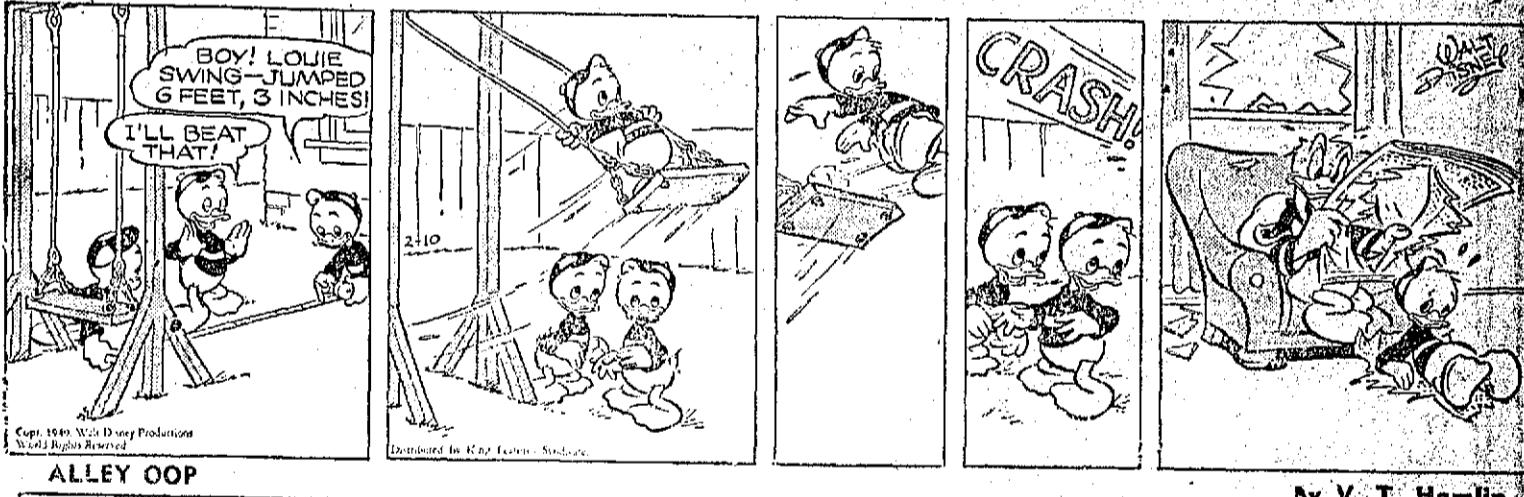
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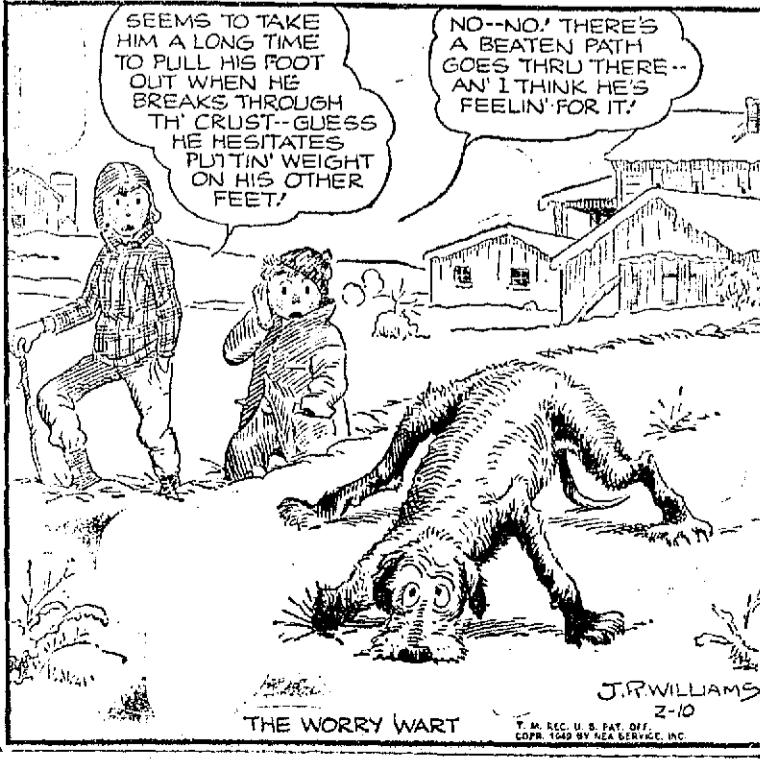
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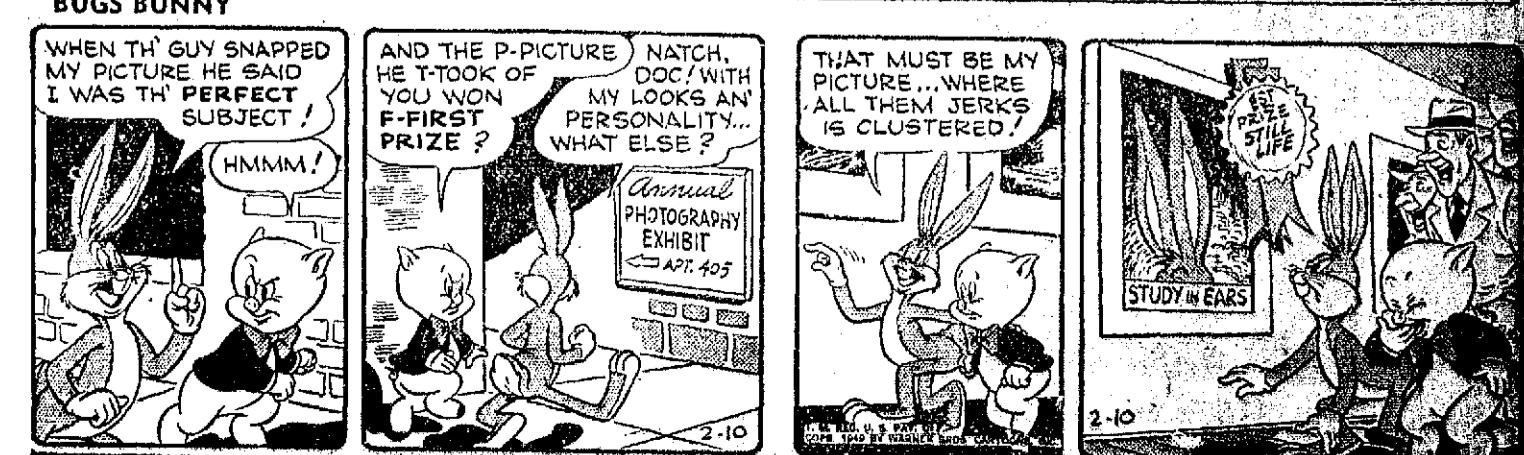
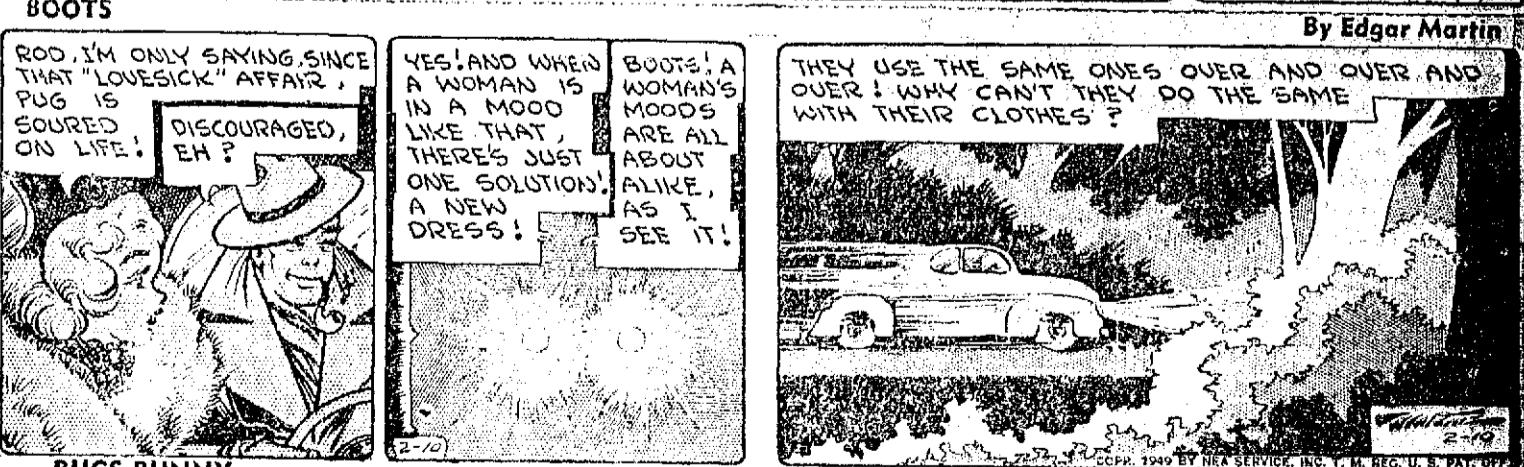
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Eight-Engined Plane Sets Fast Pace

Washington, Feb. 9 (AP). A glinting eight-engined flying wing joined an air force demonstration of bomber might today with a searching 512 miles an hour, non-stop trip across the country.

Resounding a boomerang silhouette against the evening sky, the 213,000-pound jet fighter, known as the Northrop YB-49 flying wing, crossed Andrews Field four hours 25 minutes after taking off from Muroc (Calif.) airbase. The distance was announced as 2,250 miles.

"The wing" taxied into line with the air force's largest, fastest and smallest jet bombers, first of the warplanes being assembled at Andrew field for a congressional review next Tuesday.

The other bombers are the consolidated B-36 (world's largest bomber); the Boeing XB-47 stratojet (world's fastest bomber) and the North American B-45, a four-engine jet which is the smallest the air force has in production.

The B-36 flew in today from Carswell airbase near Fort Worth, Tex., at an average speed of 338.2 miles an hour despite the fact its gross weight tops 300,000 pounds. The XB-47 shot in from Moses Lake (Wash.) airbase yesterday at an average speed of 607.2 miles an hour.

The B-45 loafed in from Dayton, Ohio, today in 50 minutes, averaging 470 miles an hour.

The flying wing has neither tail nor fuselage, its crew, fuel, engines and bombs being housed in the 172-

foot wedge. The length is only 53 feet. Its four bays can carry over 15 tons of bombs.

The air force now has but one jet "wing." However, 10 of a companion type are being converted from propeller to jet power.

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MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

Demaret Moves Into Lead at San Antonio

San Antonio, Tex., Feb. 10 (AP). The \$10,000 Texas open moved into its first round today with two members of golf's current big three absent, but the other smiling Jimmie Demaret of Ojai, Calif., favored to win the \$2,000 top money.

Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago, the leading money-winner, and Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., who captured two of the five tournaments played this year, were out of ac-

tion. Mangrum because he chose to take a rest and Hogan because of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

A field of better than 200 started the 72-hole battle for the cash. There were so many entries two courses had to be used.

Last year Sam Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., won first money with a 20-under-par 264.

Snead is back to defend his title.

Other former champions in the field include E. J. (Dutch) Harrington of Little Rock, who won in 1939; Lawson Little of Monterey, Calif., champion in 1941; Melvin (Uncle) Harbert of Northville, Mich., who took top money in 1942; and Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., who won the 1944 tourney.

Leading the amateur brigade

are stars Frank Stranahan of Toledo, O., and Skee Riegel of Tulsa, but no amateur ever has captured the Texas open.

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